

# THE CHINOOK ADVANCE

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## LOCAL NEWS

Miss K. M. Kahn returned from summer school and holidays on Saturday evening. She will resume her duties at the Chinook school.

Mr. and Mrs. Meeres and son Murray accompanied by Mrs. Meeres' niece Florence Montheth of High Prairie, Peace River, returned Saturday from an enjoyable holiday spent visiting at various places.

Mrs. Seeger and children have moved to the country where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Morrel and son have taken up residence in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Seeger. Mr. Morrel has accepted the position of teaching the second room of the town school.

Mr. J. E. Cooley, Mrs. L. Cooley and children returned from a visit to Calgary and points west, on Friday evening.

Miss R. Bowd left on Monday evening to resume her duties as teacher at New Bridgen.

Miss Donalds MacLean returned from a week-end trip to her home at Alaskan on Tuesday morning.

Miss Anna Marr left Wednesday morning for Hamilton, Ontario.

Mr. Harold Stewart left on Monday morning for Brooks.

Mr. M. F. Suiter and Mr. A. E. Roberts motored to Three Hills Tuesday.

The Friendly Circle will meet Wednesday September 9 at the home of Mrs. Russell Warr.

Mr. Russell Barton and son of Calgary, visited on Tuesday at the home of his brother-in-law, W. Milligan.

Chinook Cons. School reopened on Tuesday Sept. 1st

Jack Shier came to town this week to attend High School.

Miss Betty Milligan is visiting at Hanna this week, the guest of Mrs. S. H. Smith.

Mr. W. Milligan and son (Happy) motored to Olds last week, on a business trip.

Mr. Fink Superintendent of the Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. is in Chinook this week shipping out the grain that was stored in the elevator.

Mr. Homer Butts, of Hanna, was a business visitor here on Wednesday.

National Employment Commission is asking that all farmers on relief must register with the Secretary at once.

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This is Peach preserving week.

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## A Summary of The Departmental Exams. of Chinook Cons. School

The following is a summary of the Departmental examinations of Chinook Consolidated Schools, excluding promotion subjects and those taken by private study. Of 52 writing, 15 passed in all units taught in the senior room, viz:

### Grade XII

Frank Marcy, Mary Coates, Beatrice Lachman, Arthur Loader, Chester Rideout, Irene Shier, Jean Stewart, Bill Youell.

### Grade XI

Glady's Coates, Kathleen Proudfoot, Jim Wilson.

### Grade X

Lorna Chapman, Ted De Maere, Bob Marcy, Jim Proudfoot.

Three students in grade XII passed in all but one unit; one failed in two; one in three and one in four units.

Two students in grade XI failed in one unit, while one in grade X failed in one and another in two units.

Jim Proudfoot led the school with an average of 81.5 per cent. Kathleen Proudfoot came second with an average of 78 per cent.

Other good marks were: Frank Marcy, biology, 84; trigonometry 78; Agnes Bunney, literature, 81; Maurice Marcy, agriculture 2, 77; Gay Massey, literature 4, 78; Irene Shier, trigonometry, 70; Jean Stewart, physics 2, 80; Bill Youell, history 4, 85; chemistry, 88; Jim Wilson, physics 1, 92; Bob Marcy, art, 81; geometry 2, 82. Jim Proudfoot's lowest mark was 78 per cent, and Kathleen Proudfoot's was 76 per cent.

Several students have written off their failures at the supplementary examinations and are hoping for the best.

The school's average as a whole was 84.6 per cent pass.

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## Thou Shalt Not Love

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued

"Yes, you do sound as if you might be the very girl I'm looking for..." And then he went on amazingly: "I've been hunting this town over, turning everything upside down, wishing that Fate would send me a girl such as you seem to be. A lovely girl who has been places and seen things, who could take her place anywhere, and probably has, even if she wouldn't want it known—a girl without family ties or other encumbrances, you understand?" His madcap was this? For a fleeting moment Starr feared that the curse of Tu-Amen-Ra, mercifully forgotten for a few pitiful moments, was attacking her mind instead of her body. This couldn't be real.

Probably she was still back in the Museum; still under the spell of a painted priestess. She was uncertain whether this whole episode of the cafe of painted women and licentious-looking men—and the man whose very appearance represented to her all she had lost, all she might never hope to grasp—was a fantastic creation of her own imagination.

"Hassan," she had deliberately called him in her own mind, stubbornly putting away the idea that of all the people in the world she had ever seen he least resembled anything or anybody Egyptian or Arab. In that peculiar mood where she had determined to embrace, instead of cringe, from the things Egyptian which had lured her father to his death, she had decided on this name for the man as symbolic for this, her own Arabian Night's tale. It couldn't be anything else.

Idly she wondered what his name might really be, but she didn't matter, in this tumultuously foolish dream.

She stole a glance at "Hassan's" strong profile, felt the warm pressure of his hand sending tingles of fire through her cold blood. Oh, no, he was real enough! No Arabian Night's Hassan. Probably somebody called Reggie by his friends, or on the other hand, Bill.

He went on rapidly, as though making the most casual conversation:

"I'll provide you with an apartment, of course, the kind of setting you should have. As a matter of fact," he paused a moment, studying her—"Gad! What an idea! With those eyes, that coloring—all this talk we've been having about Egypt—you're not Egyptian, of course, but what an ideal you could be if, and—" He stared at her as if he didn't see her at all, but as if she were some puppet of his imagination he was trying to set into its own little jig-saw puzzle place. "You could forget you'd ever been—"

Starr didn't know why, but she found herself nodding, taking part in the game whatever it was, as she said dreamily:

"Forget—forget—" It was a half-hypnotic, mechanical reply. How much she wanted to forget! "The Arabs have a saying: 'In the desert one forgets everything, one remembers nothing any more.' I was in—the desert—once..."

The man stared at her a moment, half hypnotized himself.

"What an actress!" he murmured, then the half contemptuous grin came back and he went on in the same cold-blooded, business tones:

"I'll furnish the setting, yes. I'll introduce you to the right people. I'll make you shine like a diamond. If you fall in with me you won't have a thing in the world to do but play to your heart's content. So that was it, was it? She might have known. "If you fall in with me—" The same old proposition any girl in the world would have recognized, even as unsophisticated as a girl as Starr Ellison whose eyes, it appeared, were wide open as if she had not. Even she could recognize that old thing for what it was. The same old thing merely dressed up in new words!

Starr had thought that there was no room in her tired heart for more

emotion. But, another worm of bitterness ate in, creeping along, lingering, making itself at home.

Yet in spite of it she found herself considering the offer. This was not the same thing she had been against at the employment agency. It was quite another matter. No lacerious old beast who wanted to employ you in the guise of secretary, who wanted you to "be nice to him." This man—he represented so much of all she had looked upon from afar. He was her own kind. He represented—glamour.

Her hitherto well catalogued thoughts on one subject whirled in a vortex, spun to a centre. Other girls—Girls did sell themselves for less than six months of life. Every day. They thought nothing of it. Why not she, who had so little to lose, so much to gain? This stranger, this New York Arabian Night's "Hassan" who had materialized merely at a tumultuous wish, was offering her everything she wanted so desperately—except true love, of course. And that she dared not accept from any man, even though it should be offered.

Her voice was brittle as her head lifted with the imperiousness of one of those ancient priestesses she resembled.

"And the price?"

"Hassan" sounded suddenly shocked. As quickly he moved a bit away from her.

"Oh, you mustn't misunderstand me," he glanced quickly at her, then away, but in one quick glance, decided not to make the bald statement he had intended. He put it in a mild way. "If—I assure you, I'll not attempt to inflict myself upon you in any—er—unpleasant way. It's a business proposition—merely. You will work out like this: All the time you are playing, as you say you want to play, you will actually be working for me!"

"Lettak sa'ida, effendim," said Starr softly.

"Have it your own way," said the man, carelessly. "I salute you, too, and you can take it or leave it."

Starr wanted to study him, did not dare. But catching a slanting glimpse of his eyes, she was instantly ashamed of her suspicions. Whatever this man was, this "Hassan" of Broadway, he wasn't that kind!

He wasn't the kind who picked up girls on the street or accosted them in cafes merely because they were alone. He didn't have to. He had that indefinable charm which is irresistible to the opposite sex.

Hadn't she felt it herself when they were dancing—all the time before and after? Starr made a mental guess that her "Hassan" had kept many a debutante sitting by her telephone, drumming her polished finger nails, waiting for his call.

He was waving away the waiter who hovered obnoxiously near. His eyes were on Starr. There seemed to be a flash of doubt in them, for all he had said.

"I've got a lot more to say to you," he said. "There's plenty to be explained. How about us getting out of here—my place isn't far away—we can have a bite of supper there, and—and—well, there's plenty to talk about..." He was rising. "Let's go."

Starr did not answer, for there was no answer. She was conscious only of the soft clatter of clinking glasses in the place, the muted clamor of traffic outside, the unreality of everything as she picked up her purse, shivering a little, feeling much in a daze as she felt him take her arm and guide her toward the door as though she had no will of her own.

She made only one remark when he settled her in the taxi. She said:

"I'm afraid I won't be a very good companion tonight. I had a good stoupe at 103 degrees, a drinking fountain in the post office at Findlay, Ohio, froze. Postmaster W. T. Ault said the mechanism had gone 'haywire.'"

CHAPTER V.

Starr did not see the caustic glance Fairbourne gave her in the darkness of the taxi. If there had been any lingering doubts in his mind, this simple acquiescence to going with him whenever he led her, that. His conscience was clear. And why not, he argued to himself, seeing where he had at last caught up with her? She might have her own racket, but at least she was new enough at it for it not to stick out too plainly, and he could mold her to his own wishes.

They got out before the low doorway of an old-fashioned house, one of those obviously made into bachelor apartments of the smarter class. He led her through the doorway lighted

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by the two pierced iron lanterns that beckoned a welcome. The ivory and the plum comfort of the entrance enveloped them and the small automatic elevator let them out before a door painted ivory and with a brass knocker. He didn't use it; he rapped with his knuckles.

A Japanese serving man opened the door and they went through a hallway, all dark woodwork and tinted walls, to a big living room where a fire burned on the hearth where once had been a grate.

"This is well enough for a bachelor," he said, with a touch of disdain. "I hope an Egyptian princess can make herself at home."

(To Be Continued)

### Sure Of A Welcome

United States Has Warm Affection For King Edward

Every good American will echo heartily the words of President Roosevelt in Quebec—"We look forward to the day when, finding it possible to come again to the Dominion, he (King Edward) may also visit with his neighbors in the United States." What an uproarious greeting he would receive! The visit would make any similar event in our history seem a tame thing and would do more than a hundred polo matches, cup races and naval and economic conferences to promote a better mutual understanding. There is an abiding admiration here for English institutions and a warm affection for the King—and Americans would welcome an opportunity to display them. Inasmuch as the young King has not hesitated to depart from precedents and to make some of his own, an acceptance of the President's indirect invitation would not be surprising.

It is nothing new for a President to leave his native land. President Wilson went to Europe twice. President Harding to Vancouver, and President Coolidge to Cuba. But no King of England has ever set foot in the United States.—Boston Herald.

### Rare Autograph Volume

Contains Letters Written By Famous Men In 15th Century

A rare volume of autographed letters written by kings, scientists, authors and statesmen of Italy, France and England, between 1500 and 1800, has been discovered in the Museum of Kiev.

The book is said to contain autographs and letters of Voltaire, Descartes, Moliere, Cardinal Richelieu, Philip II. of Spain, and Beaumarchais, among others. It was published in Paris at the beginning of the Nineteenth Century.

The material for the book, of which the Kiev copy is believed to be the only one in existence, is stated to have been gathered from the archives and libraries of over sixty European countries.

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### Wants To Write Book

Young Railway Porter Hopes To Return To West Indies

To Emerson S. Mahon, portering is but a means to an end. The colored observation-car attendant on the Canadian Pacific Railway's train that runs from Winnipeg to Edmonton, hopes, some day, to return to his native West Indies and there to write a book.

Mahon would like to tell the world of the ancient customs and practices of the West Indians, particularly of those on the Isle of Grenada, where he was born and from where he came to Canada 24 years ago. He intends, some day, to dig deep into the centuries—old lore of the people in that group of islands in the Caribbean Sea.

But before doing that the smiling porter wants to progress further in his study of the Hebrew religion. Mahon is an ordained Rabbi. He holds three degrees in the ancient Jewish faith. His ambition is to attend a Hebrew seminary in Great Britain to obtain the highest degree in his religion, that of Rav, or chief rabbi.

Mahon's home is in Winnipeg. Four nights a week he is "on the road," the other three being spent in the Manitoba capital, where he preaches his faith. He explained there are seven degrees of rabbi. He is authorized to practice three of them and must continue his seminary studies to obtain the remaining four.

The young porter explained that Hebrew is not at all an uncommon religion among negroes. The faith, he said, had its beginning in the West Indies in 1492. In that year, he related, Jews were expelled from Spain, many emigrating to the western hemisphere.

The negro slaves as a general rule conformed to the religion of their masters. His grandmother, who married an Irishman who fled to the West Indies from his native land, was born a year before slaves were freed. Her religion was Hebrew, as was that of her "master." That has been the religion of his family ever since.—Lethbridge Herald.

### British Empire In Ships

Artist Spends Ten Years Painting Story On Plywood

A little woman with an idea 100 yards long and 75 feet high has arrived in London to see if she can sell it.

She is Clara Fargo Thomas, noted American artist, and the idea, which she has been ten years perfecting, is a pictorial story, painted on plywood, of the British empire in ships—starting with the Regent, built in the fifteenth century, and finishing with the Queen Mary.

"Since childhood ships have fascinated me," Mrs. Thomas declared. "I have haunted museums and searched records to get all details accurate."

Her professional career started when, owing her dressmaker money, she offered to paint her furniture. By the time she had finished the dressmaker owed her money.

While in London, Mrs. Thomas is using the studio of Sir John Lavery, famous painter.

### Pencils From Japan

Laid Down At Less Than Cost Of Raw Materials

Imports of pencils into Canada from Japan in May of this year were about equal to estimated domestic production for the same months, and were almost as great as total imports from Japan for the whole year 1935, says Bookeller and Stationer, Toronto. The average price of these imports was placed at approximately 24 cents per gross, compared with a valuation of 1935 imports of 58 cents per gross and 61 cents per gross in 1934. The laid-down cost declared on Japanese pencils in Canadian ports of entry is said in many instances to be actually lower than the cost of the raw materials that went into them.

### Hard On Teachers

The bureau of education has ruled that school teachers in Greater Shanghai could not use rouge, lipstick, face powder or permanent waves as they were "incompatible with educational principles." Similar prohibitions previously applied to girl students.

### Gold Production

Production of gold from Saskatchewan and Manitoba sources during June was recorded at 16,076 ounces while the total for the first six months of 1936 was 87,841 ounces as compared to 78,507 ounces in the same period of last year.

The people who drive the fastest usually have the least to do after they get wherever they're going—if they get there. 2166

## BACK-ACHE

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**Little Helps For This Week**

A soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger. Proverbs 15:1.

Renew Thine image, Lord in me, Lovely and gentle may I be; No charms but these to Thee are due. No anger mayest Thou ever find, No pride in my unruined mind. But faith and heaven-born peace be there.

Neither say or do ought displeasing to thy neighbor; and if thou hast been wanting in charity, seek his forgiveness or speak to him with gentleness. Injuries hurt not more in the receiving than in the remembering. A small injury shall go as it comes, a great injury may dine or sup with you. Why should you vex yourself because another has vexed you? Grief for things past that cannot be remedied, and care for things to come that cannot be prevented, may easily hurt and can never benefit you. Therefore commit yourself to God in both, and enjoy the present.

### Man Without A Country

Former Russian Leader May Be Forced To Leave Norway

Indications are that Leon Trotsky, former Russian revolutionary leader, might soon be returned to his usual status of a man without a country. The wandering, sickly Bolshevik is to be expelled from Norway, Government sources said, if charges of new international intrigue are proved against him. At the same time, Pravda, Moscow Communist organ, made clear that there would never be hope for reconciliation between Trotsky and Stalin.

Banished from his own revolutionary land and excluded from many others, Trotsky accepted refuge in Norway with the promise to refrain from propaganda or other international activity. Recently young Norwegian Nazis broke into Trotsky's home at Honefos and found papers which they said dealt with plots in France and Spain. They handed them over to police.

Trotsky entered Norway June 18, 1935.

### Britain Going Ahead

In spite of the reduction in parcel post rates, Britain's postal services had a profit of \$11,250,000 in the last year. Telephone service, operated by the British post office, had a record income. It is another sign of the way Britain is going ahead.

### Greatly In Demand

Marguerite Salle, artists' model, says she is the most painted woman in the world. She estimates that in the nine years she has posed for artists, she has been painted or sketched 5,000 times.

It is questionable whether the sawfly is as much a menace to Canadian forests as the sawmill.

According to a trade journal there is a distinct boom in new cars. And usually a distinct rattle in old ones.



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### CHINOOK MARKET PRICES

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3 Northern	55 1-2

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### CHINOOK UNITED CHURCH

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### HAIL WIPES OUT DUCK LAKE DIST

HUSSAR, August 23--The district north of Hussar was devastated by the worst hail storm seen in years on Friday afternoon. A strip varying from Rockyford east along the river.

Snider Bros, lost 700 acres of wheat that was expected to bring from ten to fifteen bushels per acre; and throughout Duck Lake territory and north the fields are black again. Birds were killed by the hail stones; gophers drowned in their holes as the force of the hail kept them from getting out. The whole country is laid bare of gardens and field crops, and the trees are stripped of their leaves.

Much of the land south of this strip was completely dried out, or had been stripped of grain by the grasshoppers. This makes practically the whole community north of Hussar a non-productive area this year.

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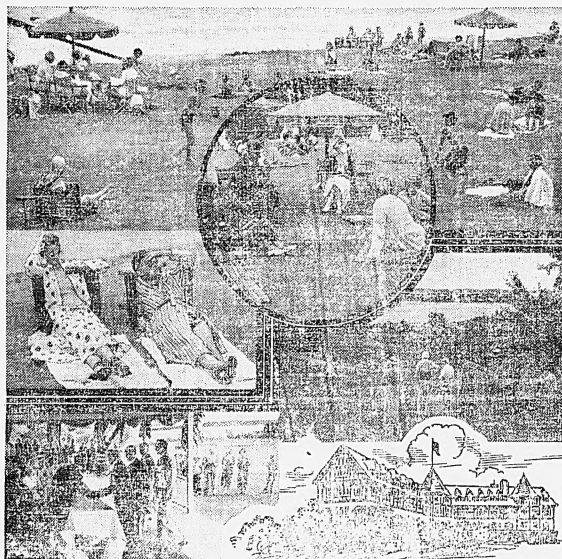
The following is a list of the children who have reached school age, and have started in the primary room of the Chinook school this week namely: Laura Ford, Marcel Butts, Marceline Butts, Merna Bilton, Glen Bilton, Rex Turple, Lorne Cooley, Edward Boesse, Florence Monteith, Johnny Rosenau and Allan Marr.

### The Ladies' Card Club

The Ladies' Card Club met Tuesday evening Sept. 1st, at the home of Mrs. W. S. Lee. The honors were shared by Mrs. P. Petersen and Mrs. L. Robinson. The club will meet next week at the home of Mrs. Milligan, with Mrs. Seeger as hostess.

Mr. N. F. Marcy and two sons left Thursday for Brooks taking a bunk house behind the tractor, a truck and 4 horse team and wagon.

### St. Andrews-by-the-Sea



The growing popularity of beautiful St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B., was shown this year by the great increase of visitors during July. Privileged vacationists from all over the world spent happy days at the Bay of Fundy resort center, swimming, fishing, boating, playing tennis, dancing, or just lazing in the sun on the warm sand of Katy's Cove,

sections of which are seen above in the top three pictures. Several golf tournaments have been held already on the newly 12-hole and 18-hole courses connected with the Atlantic Hotel, and famous golfers have pronounced the links in excellent condition for other matches that will be held before the hotel finally closes at the end of the first

week in September. The recent visit of President Roosevelt of the United States to the district has stimulated great interest in his summer home at Campobello Island. Many American visitors have been at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea for the season. Quebec's popular spot has been the Casino, where dancing and picture shows provide entertainment.

Todd, Connor—that the Reception committee consists of the officers and directors of the Fair and that Mesdames Stewart, Shier, Wilson and Cooley be a committee to arrange for the lunch on the day of the Fair.

Allen, Connor—that Mr. Todd, Mr. Meeres and Mrs. Cooley be a committee to put on a dance after the School Fair.

Allen, Todd—that Mesdames Isbister, Todd and Suiter be a committee to arrange for cocoa to be served in the school on the day of the Fair.

Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Shier—that the meeting adjourn.

### FRELAN WILFORD WON'T DEFEND TITLE

Mr. Frelan Wilfred, Staveland farmer who won the world wheat championship at the Chicago International Show, won't enter this year. The drought ruined his crop and he has no wheat fit to show in such a competition. His crop is going 11 bushels to the acre. It is the worst year he has ever seen in his 33 years in Alberta, Mr. Wilfred says. Herman Trelle, crack Peace River farmer, won't enter at Chicago either, as he is barred from competition, having won three times.

### Here and There

Barwell, Alta., sets this year's record for the first official record on work on the line, according to a message received March 19 by the Agricultural Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg. The earliest last year was from Abner, Alta., which has held the record for five years, on March 21.

Alfred S. McKay, recently elected president of the Southern Alberta Pioneers' and Old-Timers' Association, is one of the two surviving members of the survey party which charted the route of the Canadian Pacific Railway across prairie and mountains in 1880-1885.

Interviewed at Victoria recently, W. M. Nair, vice-president of western lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, stated that he anticipated one of the biggest travel years in recent Canadian history. There had been, he said, a substantial improvement in passenger travel business last year which is expected to continue this year.

Changes in hotel management in western Canada are announced by H. P. McIntyre, general manager Canadian Pacific Hotel system as follows: T. E. Chester, manager Hotel Vancouver, expanded assistant general manager of the company's hotels in western Canada, succeeding A. E. Robertson, resigned; Colin P. Pratt, manager Palliser Hotel, Calgary, becomes manager Hotel Vancouver with W. J. Myllett, succeeding Mr. Pratt as manager of the Palliser.

Vancouver Island, known as the historical cradle of the Pacific Northwest, is to be featured this summer by a special cruise of the Princess Norah, of the Canadian Pacific B.C. service, which will make a complete circuit of the island, leaving Vancouver at 2 p.m., July 15, for a seven day trip in the paths of the early explorers.

During the winter season just closed, there was witnessed the greatest step forward in sliding travel ever recorded. Over 51,000 more than a fifth greater than last year, made journeys over the west-end from Montreal to add territory in the Laurentians, the mountain paradise to the north of Montreal thoroughly covered by Canadian Pacific Railway. Many came from cities in the Eastern United States to enjoy the sport.

Nine weeks have been named and arranged for Vancouver's Golden Jubilee celebrations proper this summer but the festivities will cover the whole season and are expected to attract visitors from all over the world. One of the high lights will be the veneration of the arrival of the first Canadian Pacific train half a century ago.

### Chinook and District School Fair Held Meeting

A School Fair Meeting was held on Saturday, August 29 at 8 p. m. in the Chinook consolidated school. The following officers and directors were present: N. F. Marcy, W. A. Todd, M. Otto, Mesdames Shier, Wilson, Stewart, Messrs Payce, Connor and Allen. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Then followed the reading of correspondence.

Mrs. Shier, H. D. Connor—that we have the Singing, Physical training and Parade immediately following lunch.

Mrs. Stewart W. Todd—that the Sports be started at 11 a. m. and continued until 12 and held again after the Parade.

Mesdames Shier, Wilson—that the Chinook Meat Market special be given as 1st prize for Physical Training.

Mrs. Wilson, E. B. Allen—that the prizes for Physical Training and Singing be 1st \$2.00, 2nd 1.75 and 3rd 1.25 to be paid from the T. Eaton, Hudson Bay and Chinook Meat Market specials.

Mrs. Stewart, E. B. Allen—that a special entry and special exhibit be made for the special prizes given by the Chinook Fairground.

Mrs. Shier, Mr. Payce—that the Western Canada 4 24 lb sacks of flour be given as 1st prizes for classes 50, 55, 60 and 61.

Mrs. Shier, Mr. Allen—that the Simpson Co. prize be given to the boy or girl winning the highest number of points in classes 1-126.

Allen-Todd—that we do not give prizes for classes 1-10 included in the prize list.

Mr. Allen Mrs. Wilson—that the secretary write to the people who have made inquiries, informing them that they may exhibit in any of the classes except school work, as we must adhere strictly to the rule that it be handed in by June 30th.

Payce Connor—that we eliminate all the grains except wheat of wheat, oats and rye and corn (classes 14, 15, 16 and 21).

Mr. Allen Mrs. Stewart—that \$1000 be allowed for sports and the remainder of the prizes be paid on the point system.

Allen, Payce—that we eliminate the livestock (classes 28-34).

Allen, Payce—that Messrs Meeres, Morrell, Connor and Todd be a committee with the privilege of adding to the number to arrange the hall for the Fair.

Allen, Todd—that the Hall committee be as follows:

School work S. Meeres  
Vegetables S. W. Warren  
Manual Training Mr. Falconer  
Poetry E. B. Allen  
Cooking Mrs. Stewart  
Sewing Mrs. Wilson  
Physical Training H. Connor  
Parade Mrs. Cooley-Mr. Payce  
Music Mrs. Shier  
Sports Messrs Meeres, Todd  
Courts Connor and Morrell.